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# REPORT of the

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## WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Re: ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT
JOHN F. KENNEDY

Specimens received 11/30/63 (PC-78339 BX JV GH)

Q74 - Q77 Four .38 Special cartridge cases
Q78 - Q81 Four .38 Special cartridges
Q82 - Q86 Five .38 Special cartridges
Q87 Le Coultre wrist watch
Q88 Man's ring

K42 Gray jacket

Specimens received 12/2/63 (PC-78361 BX)

Q91 - Q100 Ten cartridge cases, 6.5 mm Japanese caliber, recovered at Sports Dome Gun Range, Dallas, Texas

Results of examination:

The four cartridge cases, Q74 through Q77, were compared with test cartridge cases obtained from the previously submitted revolver, K3. As a result, Q74 through Q77 were all identified as having been fired in K3.

No firing pin impressions are present on any of the cartridges, Q78 through Q86. No marks suitable for comparison with the K3 revolver were found on Q78 through Q86.

The cartridge cases, Q91 through Q100, were compared with test cartridge cases obtained from the previously submitted rifle, K1. Based upon these comparisons, it was determined that none of the Q91 through Q100 cartridge cases were fired in K1.

No latent fingerprints were found on specimens Q74 through Q86.



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The K42 gray jacket is a size "medium" light gray cotton jacket having a full length zipper in the front. A manufacturer's label "Created in California by Maurice Holman Los Angeles" has been sewn to the inside right front lining.

A dry cleaners tag "B 9738" has been stapled to the jacket immediately below the above-described manufacturer's label. A visible laundry marking, which appears to be "30 030," is present in the collar of this jacket. The Laboratory does not maintain a visible laundry mark or dry cleaners mark file and is, therefore, unable to advise the identity of the cleaners and laundry responsible for these markings. No invisible markings were found on this jacket.

The jacket is composed of light gray cotton fibers. No fibers similar to these were found among those removed from the butt plate of the K1 rifle.

Dark blue, gray-black and orange-yellow cotton fibers, which match in microscopic characteristics the dark blue, gray-black and orange-yellow cotton fibers composing the Q11 shirt, were found in the debris removed from the inside areas of the sleeves of the K42 jacket. These fibers could have originated from the Q11 shirt.

No significant residues were found on the watch, Q87, or the ring, Q88. No cavities for concealment purposes were found in Q87 or Q88.

Specimens Q74 through Q88 and K42 are being retained in the FBI Laboratory, as well as specimens Q91 through Q100.